ployed youths though they were selected by DIC during the year 1986-87; and

(d) if so, what action has been taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The target fixed for 1986-87 under Self-Employment Scheme for Educated Unemployed Youth in Orissa was 9,300 beneficiaries.

(b) Under the scheme, the Central Government allocates to States only physical targets in terms of number of beneficiaries and do not allot funds to implement the scheme. The loans are sanctioned by the banks on the recommendations of DIC Task Forces. The capital subsidy to the extent of 25 per cent on each loan contracted is paid out of Central budget routed through RBI. The amount earmarked on account of capital subsidy to implement the scheme in the country during the years 1985-86 and 1986-87 is as under:

Year	*Amount* (Rs. *in* crores)
1985-86	95.00
1986-87	94.60

(c) and (d) Government is aware that despite Task Force recommendations, some cases do get rejected by the banks on scrutiny, which is within their competence.

Decline in industrial production

1906. SHRI LAL K. ADVANI:
SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to a news item which appeared in the Economic Times dated the 21st January, 1988 that though the P.M. had stated that recent industrial growth had been the best ever achieved, detailed analysis of the industrial production data shows that the bulk of industrial sector i.e. about 60 per cent of it either grew by less than 5 per cent or suffered a rapid decline and actually as much as 23 per cent of the sector suffered an average rate of decline of about 15 per cent, and

(b) if so, what are the facts, especially about the vital sectors such as capital goods manufacturer which have extremely strong linkages with the rest of the industry?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Government's attention has been drawn to the news item titled "Industrial Performance – Growth by passes bulk of Industry" appeared in the Economic Times dated 21st January, 1988. It is not correct to say that bulk of the Industrial Sector i.e., about 60 per cent of it either grew by less than 5 per cent or suffered a decline during January—March, 1987 to which the news item refers to.

As per the Index of Industrial Production brought out by Central Statistical Organisation, manufacturing sector registered a growth of 17.7 per cent during January—March, 1987. About 58 per cent of industries in the manufacturing sector grew by more than 5 per cent.

(b) The capital goods sector recorded a growth of 18.2 per cent during 1986-87.

खादी और ग्रामोद्योग आयोग द्वारा आमंत्रित निविदाएं

1907. **श्री अशोक नाथ वर्मा** : क्या उद्योग मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार को इस बात की जानकारी है कि खादी और ग्रामोद्योग आयोग, दिल्ली, ने वस्त्र की रंगाई, धुलाई तथा सिलाई के लिए निविदाएं आमंत्रित की थीं और यदि हां, तो इस सम्बन्ध में ब्यौरा क्या है ;

(ख) क्या खादी और ग्रामोद्योग आयोग द्वारा उठाये गये इस प्रकार के कदम से एकाधिकार की प्रवृत्तियों को बढ़ावा मिलने की संभावनाएं हैं जिससे लघु उद्योग को धक्का लगेगा ?

(ग) क्या सरकार खादी और ग्रामोद्योग आयोग का इस प्रकार का कदम उठाने से रोकने हेतु आदेश जारी करने का विचार रखती है ;

(घ) यदि हां, तो उनका ब्यौरा क्या है ; और

(ङ) क्या सरकार इस सम्बन्ध में महिलाओं की सहकारी सोसाइटियों को प्राथमिकता देने का विचार रखती है ?

उद्योग मंत्रालय में औद्योगिक विकास विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री एम० अरूणाचलम) : (क) जी, हां । खादी ग्रामोद्योग भवन, नई दिल्ली, जो खादी तथा ग्रामोद्योग आयोग का एक विभागीय बिक्री एकक है, जिसके लिए टेंडर आमंत्रित करने हेतु खादी तथा ग्रामोद्योग आयोग ने एक समिति गठित की है ? इन टेंडरों के मांगने हेतु दिल्ली के अग्रणी समाचार पत्रों में सूचना प्रकाशित की जाती है ।

(ख) जी, नहीं । टेडरों को मुख्यतया मूल्यों में प्रतिस्पर्धा लाने, बिक्री काउन्टरों में तैयार उत्पाद को उनकी बिक्री क्षमता की दृष्टि से गुणवत्ता वह एकरूपता का सुनिश्चय करने की दृष्टि से आमंत्रित किये जाते हैं प्राप्त टेंडरों के आधार पर विभिन्न वस्तुओं के अन्तर्गत 1987–88 में इस काम के लिए नियत कुल पार्तियों की संख्या इस प्रकार है :—

1.	मुद्रण . .	23
2.	रंगाई . .	4
3.	धुलाई . .	6
4.	सिलाई . .	151
5.	एम्ब्रायडरी .	100

(ग) और (घ). ऊपर (ख) में दिये गये उत्तर को ध्यान में रखते हुये, प्रश्न ही नहीं उठता ।

(ङ) जी, हां । खादी तथा ग्रामोद्योग आयोग ने अपने सभी राज्य स्तरीय कार्यालयों को सिले-सिलाये वस्त्रों को तैयार करने समेत उनकी कालोनियों के लिए उपयुक्त विभिन्न उत्पादन कार्यकलापों को करने हेतु उन्हें प्रोत्साहित करने मे महिला संगठनों तथा सहकारी समितियो का पता लगाने के लिए आदेश जारी कर दिये है ।

Single window for loans for Small Scale Industries

1908. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that his Ministry has strongly recommended to the Finance Ministry that a single window should be created for small scale industries both for term loans and working capital;

(b) if so, whether those proposals by the Industry Ministry have been accepted by the Finance Ministry; and

(c) if so, by when the said proposals will be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) The Ministry of Industry had suggested that only one financial agency (i.e. a single window) could deal with all loan applications upto Rs. 5 lakhs which may be advanced as a composite loan, taking care of term and working capital requirements of small scale units.

(b) and (c) The Finance Minister in his Budget speech on 29th February, 1988 has made the following announcement in para 43 of Part 'A' of his speech:—